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Unsurpassed FOR COLOR, SIZE, AND PERFORMANCE

Sturdy Stiff Stems. See also front cover

obtainable. The larger the bulb, the larger and more beautiful the blooms will be. Although only a few are illustrated, the others are equally beautiful.

GIANT BREEDERS

Enormous flowers in rich pastel tones and gorgeous blendings of purple, bronze, violet, old-gold, buff and maroon.

Bonnie Prince. Lilac flushed rosy lilac; blue center. A large and beautiful flower. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Bronze Glory. Copper shaded olive and purple; dark center and anthers. A large broad flower on a stiff stem. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.85.

Dixie Sunshine. Yellowish tan shaded pale lilac and margined buff-yellow; inside pale yellow. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Dragon's Blood. Chinese lacquer-red, outside dull oxblood-red; olive-colored base. Beautiful and very graceful. 6 for 95e; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Garden Magic. Yellowish tan, outside slightly flushed purple; yellow base with dark anthers. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Mount Royal. Bright bluish violet broadly edged soft bronze; yellow base. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Clson's Favorite. Brilliant Chinese red to orange inside; olive and yellow base. A sparkling color. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

New
Giant Breeder
Tulips
25 for \$3.25;
50 for \$5.50;

100 for \$10.00

Special Mixture of the

COTTAGE

The graceful flowers are mostly oval, with somewhat recurved petals. Every color imaginable can be found in this class.

Belle Jaune. Golden yellow, inside bright yellow; base yellow. 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00.

Cote d'Ivoire. Amber-white outside; pale yellow inside. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Golden Measure. Buttercup-yellow; very fragrant. 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00.

G. W. Leak. Brilliant scarlet-red; green and yellow base. 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00.

Ivory Glory. Huge, creamy white, egg-shaped flower changing to snow-white. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.85.

Marshall Haig. See front cover. Brilliant carmine with glittering red interior; yellow base. One of the very best red Tulips. Huge flower. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Queen of Spain. A distinctive flower. Pale yellow flushed pink on the edge; yellow anthers. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Rosy Wings. A most beautiful Tulip. Blooms about 10 days earlier than other Cottages and is somewhat more dwarf—only about 18 inches in height. The flowers are very large, of a delightful pink color with pale blue base. Ideal for the rock garden and border. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

Smiling Queen. Paul Neyron rose, edged silvery pink; white base. Large flower. A really good rose-pink Tulip. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.25.

Special Mixture of Cottage Tulips 25 for \$3.00; 50 for \$5.00; 100 for \$9.50

INEXPENSIVE MIXTURE

These come to us already mixed from our grower in Holland.

Includes many varieties and types of longstemmed Tulips.

25 top-size bulbs for \$2.25; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$7.50; 250 for \$18.00.

MONGOLIA. Large, eggshaped flower of soft yellow. 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00. Cottage.

NOTRE DAME.

American Beauty red, inside claret-red; blue base. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25. Ideal Darwin.

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VAGABOND PRINCE.

Offer!

Illustrated on 2 and 3

Offer No. 3F-52A

48 bulbs

6 of each, for

\$7.00

No. 3F-52B

12 of each

\$12.50

Carmine-purple; base blue and white. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.25. Ideal Darwin. cheyenne. Carmine edged orange-red, inside geranium-red; yellow base. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25. Breeder.





DASYSTEMON

Species Tulips

AND THEIR NEW HYBRIDS

"THE INDISPENSABLE MINIATURE TULIPS" FOR PERMANENT PLANTING

These interesting varieties show a bewildering variation of size and shape of flowers, structure of leaves, habits, etc. They may be planted in the rock garden between creeping plants or in colonies in small, warm nooks, a situation where the larger-flowered garden Tulips would be out of place. Blooming period March to late May. They multiply and come back every year.

Acuminata (Cornuta; Stenopetala; Sinensis). 15 in. Yellow, streaked red; very narrow petals tapering at the tips to a thin point. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50. Biflora. 8 in. Several delicate small white flowers on a stem, tinged outside with rose and green. Blooms in early March. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50.

Celsiana Kotschy. A free-flowering, soft purple species from Persia. Recommended for the rock garden. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50. Clusiana (The Lady Tulip). 8 in. Outer petals bright cherry-red, inner petals creamy white; violet base. Small flower, but very distinct and beautiful. 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.00.

Persica (Breyniana). 3 in. Inside brilliant yellow, outside golden bronze. Very fragrant; several flowers on a branching stem. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00.

Praestans. 12 in. Bright orange-red; several flowers on a branching stem. Blooms in April. 6 for \$1.40; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.85.

Sylvestris (Florentina Odorata). Pure yellow; medium-sized, drooping flower. A sweet-scented wild English Tulip. 6 for 65c; 12 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.00; \$7.50 per 100.

Turkestanica. 9 in. Each bulb produces five or six small white flowers shaded yellow inside. Flowers in April, 6 for 65c; 12 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.00; \$7.50 per 100.

The Giant Red Emperor Tulip. Crimson-red blooms, often to 6 inches across, on 12 to 15-inch, sturdy stems. One of the very earliest to bloom, it is everybody's favorite. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75; \$13.50 per 100.

Dasystemon. 5 in. Canary-yellow and white; several flowers on a stem. A gem for the rock garden. Blooms in early April. See color illustration. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50. Saxatilis. 9 in. Delicate lilac; yellow center. Flowers in April. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.85. Eichleri. 8 in. Crimson-scarlet, shaded orange; glistening black center marked with gold; lily type of flower. 12 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.00; \$7.00 per 100. \$1.10; 25 for \$2.00; \$7.00 per 100.

Kolpakowskyana. 10 in Deep yellow, shaded rose on exterior of petals. 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.85.

Linifolia. 7 in. Brilliant vermilion-red. Excellent for the rock garden. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75.

Marjoletti. 14 in. Soft primrose, shaded carmine-red at base; small flower of an attractive color. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50.



Princeps. Same size blooms as Red Emperor but about 10 days later and only 8 to 10 inches high. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.25.

Rockery Beauty. New for '52. Deep vermilion-scarlet, only 6 to 8 inches high, with huge, 6-inch blooms of truly exquisite beauty. It blooms as early as Red Emperor. 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75; 25 for \$5.25.

Kaukasus. Later blooming than any of the above varieties, with large, brilliant orange-scarlet flowers on 16 to 18-inch stems. Excellent for the rock garden or border. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.50.

THE WATERLILY TULIPS (Kaufmanniana)

Kaufmanniana (The Waterlily Tulip). 6 in. Creamy white, more or less tinged rosy red on the outside. The first of all species to bloom. Grows wild in Turkestan. 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.85.

Kaufmanniana Hybrids, Rainbow Mixture. Containing red, rose, yellow, white, and many other colors. 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.50; \$14.50 per 100.

6 Specially Selected New Varieties of Distinct Loveliness

Caesar Franck. Dark yellow, outer petals marked brilliant red; red and black center. Dwarf. 3 for 95c; 6 for \$1.65; 12 for \$3.00.

Fritz Kreisler. Salmon-rose; distinct red ring in center. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.85.

Gaiety. White, outside striped red. Very dwarf. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75.

Robert Schumann. Yellow; outside deep yellow and red. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75.

Scarlet Elegance. Brilliant scarlet. Very lovely. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75.

Sweelink. See color illustration. Lovely large blooms on 6-in. stems, you'll love it. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50.

Very Special Collection Offer to get you acquainted with these little beauties

OFFER No. 3F-55 3 each of the above 6 varieties for only \$4.50 (value \$5.55) 2 OFFERS FOR \$8.25



Lovely soft apricot-pink. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.75;

These Dwarf **Early Tulips** Bloom at the Same Time as Hyacinths

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Used where earlier blooms are desired. Many may be forced in January. Most bloom outdoors about the same time when planted in masses. Blooming period April 10 to May 1.

6 of any one variety for 85c; 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$2.85; 50 for \$5.00; \$9.50 per 100

Couleur Cardinal. 14 in. Brilliant crimson-scarlet with yellow base;

SPECIAL MIXTURE OF SINGLE EARLY TULIPS: 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50; \$8.50 per 100.

LOW-GROWING DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Chiefly grown for their showy effects in masses. Excellent for low borders and groups and for solid beds where early varieties with double, peony-like flowers are desired. Blooming period April 10 to May 1.

6 of one variety for 85c; 12 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.00; \$10.50 per 100 Marechal Niel. 11 in. Bright orange-yellow. The best in this color for forcing.

Mr. Van der Hoef. 12 in. Golden yellow. Fine for forcing. Orange Nassau. 12 in. Bright orange-scarlet with orange margin; outer petals shaded cherry-red.

Peach Blossom. Brilliant dark rosy pink.

Scarlet Cardinal. 15 in. Brilliant vermilion-scarlet. Very early forcer.

Schoonoord. 11 in. Beautiful pure white. Large and full. For forcing or bedding.

SPECIAL MIXTURE OF DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS. 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$2.75; 50 for \$5.00; \$9.50 per 100

Fragrant HYACINTHS

The popular Dutch Hyacinths with their rich fragrance fill an important place in the early spring garden. As formal bedding plants they have few equals. They also provide desirable and striking color masses in the foreground of shrub borders as well as in the perennial garden—in fact, wherever an early spot of color is desired. Plant them informally in drifts and they will seen the spring garden as no other plant can do.

The following 12 varieties are the finest obtainable in their color classes. The size we are offering for outdoor planting is 15 to 16 cm., which is ideal for the average garden.

Any of the following, 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75; 25 for \$5.00; \$18.50 per 100

City of Haarlem. Well-formed trusses of pale yellow bells.

Grand Maitre. Deep lavender. Long, compact spikes of large bells on strong stems.

Jan Bos. Carmine-red, tinted scarlet; lighter center. Recommended for early forcing.

Lady Derby. Large, compact trusses of clear rose-pink. Good for forcing and bedding.

Early
La Victoire. Shiny carmine-red with large, well-filled spikes. A brilliant color.
L'Innocence. The most satisfactory all-round pure white. Compact spikes with large bells. Does well anywhere.
Marie. The most satisfactory of the dark blue shades. Late flowering, excellent for bedding.
Perle Brilliant. Light blue, tinged lavender. Splendid spikes of large, substantial bells.
Pink Pearl. Vivid rose with strong curled bells. Large spike; strong stem. Excellent for early foreign.

early forcing.

Princess Margaret. A very fine novelty. The clear soft pink flower is large and perfectly formed. One of the best pinks in both size and color.

Queen of the Blues. Light porcelain-blue; large, well-formed trusses.

Queen of the Pinks. Trusses broad and large, with good-sized pink bells and strong stems.

COLLECTION OFFERS

GARDEN SIZE BULBS (15 to 16 cm.) OFFER NO. 3F-56 18 bulbs, 3 each of pink, red, yellow, white, deep blue and light blue, for \$4.00

FORCING SIZE BULBS (18 to 19 cm.) OFFER NO. 3F-57 6 bulbs, 1 each of the above 6 colors, for \$2.25 12 bulbs, 2 of each, for \$3.85

18 bulbs, 3 of each, for \$5.50

Hyacinths for Indoor Culture in Soil or Water

FOR BEST RESULTS IN FORCING HYACINTHS INDOORS, only the largest bulbs should be used. The size we offer for this purpose is 18 to 19-cm. jumbo-size bulbs, which should give you excellent results. Naturally these are more expensive.

Any of the following, for forcing or garden exhibition, 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50.

City of Haarlem. Bright golden yellow. Grand Maitre. Deep lavender-blue. Jan Bos. Carmine-red tinted scarlet.

L'Innocence. Pure white, Myosotis. Light clear blue. Pink Pearl. Vivid rose.





Spring Beauty



SNOWDROP



CHIONODOXA



SNOWFLAKE (Leucojum)



IMPERIALIS

Little Bulbs to Bring Big Thrills Next Spring

Attractive bulbous plants producing erect, bare stems with globular heads of flowers, resembling the blue lace flower or bunch primrose. Hardy, fine for rock gardens and borders.

12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per 100

Azureum. Deep blue. Height about 15 inches.

Moly. Brilliant yellow; 10 to 12-inch stems. Blooms in late spring.

Neapolitanum. May and June. Heads of white flowers for cutting.

ANEMONE

Brilliant color and fine for cutting. Plant 6 inches deep in cool, moist, well-drained soil. Cover in winter with strawy manure.

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12 of any one variety for 75c; 25 for \$1.35;
\$4.50 per 100

Apennina. Single bright blue flowers. Blooms in late spring. Height 6 inches.

De Caen. Taller than St. Brigid and more single. Blue, white and scarlet. Mixed or separate colors.

St. Brigid. The popular Anemones seen in the florist's shops in early spring. Flowers large, in brilliant colors.

BLETILLA (Hardy Orchid)

Hyacinthina. Can be grown in the garden or house in a small pot of peaty soil. Plant in November, will bloom in March. Plant may be removed to the garden where it will grow freely or be forced into bloom again the following winter. Six to eight Cattleya-colored flowers grow on a 12 to 15-inch stem. They last six to eight weeks. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75; 12 for \$7.00. Hyacinthina Alba. White form of above. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.85; 6 for \$5.50.

(Glory-of-the-Snow)

Excellent little flowers for early spring bloom in the rock garden and other places. They will naturalize and come back year after year. Pink, White, Light Blue, Deep Blue and Mixed. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.50; \$4.00 per 100.

ERANTHIS (Winter Aconite)

Hyemalis. Clear yellow; very early. Good for rock garden, under Sedums or trees. 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1,20; \$4.00 per 100.

ERYTHRONIUM (Trout Lily)

Also known as Dogs-Tooth Violet and Adders-Tongue

Mixed. Mixture of many shades. Fine for naturalizing or rock garden in light shade. 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25; \$7.50 per 100.

FRITILLARIA IMPERIALIS (Crown Imperials)

Crown Imperials want a good soil, much sun, and be left undisturbed for years. Planted early in a sheltered location. Height about 3 feet.

Any 3 bulbs for \$2.75; any 6 bulbs for \$5.00; any 12 bulbs for \$9.50

Aurore. Orange-red.

Orange Brilliant. A splendid

Rubra. Dark red.

Sulpherino. Yellow, shaded

Mixture. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.00.

We have been told by our bulb expert in Holland that these bulbs will keep ground moles away from the garden.

GALANTHUS (Snowdrop)

Nivalis Flore-Pleno. Double white. 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25; \$7 50 per 100.

Nivalis Simplex. White. The old standby. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per 100.

Pallasi (Tataricum). Choice hardy bulb which in early June produces several deep blue tubular flowers on slender stems. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per 100.

LEUCOJUM (Snowflake)

Aestivum. White, tipped green. Like a large Galanthus, with six and more blooms on a stem. Flowers in May. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00.

Acetivum, Gravetye Giant. White; large, early and free flowering. 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75.

Vernum. White, tipped green. Flowers in February. 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00.

MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinth)

Armeniacum (Early Giant.) Deep cobalt-blue, producing many spikes. Good for forcing and massing; fragrant, 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.20; \$4.00 per 100.

Azureum. Bright blue flowers. Fine for forcing in January. 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.20; \$4.00 per 100.

Botryoides Album. White Grape Hyacinth. Bears fragrant little pure white flowers. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per 100.

Plumosum. Plume Hyacinth. Feathery plumes of violet-colored flowers in May. 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.20; \$4.00 per 100.

SCILLA (Squill)

Sibirica Alba. Pure white. 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.65; \$5.25 per 100.

\$5.25 per 100. Sibirica, Spring Beauty. Light blue. Very large and free flowering. 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.65; \$5.25 per 100.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA (Hispanica) (Spanish Bluebell)

Spanish Bluebells come into bloom in May. They do well in shade or sun. Height 12 to 15 inches.

Alba Maxima. Large white. 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.65; \$5.25 per 100.

\$5.25 per 100, Excelsior. Extra-large, bright blue flowers. 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.65; \$5.25 per 100. Queen of the Pinks. Lovely pink flowers. 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.65; \$5.25 per 100. Mixed. All colors. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per 100.

3 NEW SCILLA CAMPANULATA OF RARE BEAUTY

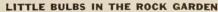
12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.85; \$6.00 per 100

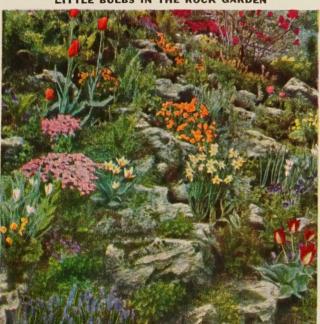
Blue Ribbon. Very large, showy, deep blue flowers on 12 to 15-inch stems, in May and early June. Heavenly Blue. Like Blue Ribbon but with light blue

White Triumphator. A showy white variety.

100 SMALL BULBS FOR YOUR GARDEN \$4.95

This collection of 100 bulbs will brighten your rock garden or wild garden in early spring. Plant 2 to 4 inches apart, between low plants. Ten each of the following ten: Miniature Tulips, Assorted Miniature Daffodils, Assorted Snowdrops, Assorted Scilla, Chionodoxa, Crocus, Grape Hyacinths, Winter Aconite, Puschkinia and Anemone. 100 bulbs for \$4.95. Order individually at 75c for 12 of any one kind, or \$1.35 for 25 of any one kind.







HARDY AMARYLLIS (Magic Lily)

Unusual Bulbs SPRING TO FALL

HARDY AMARYLLIS (Magic Lily)

See color illustration

Halli (Lycoris squamigera). Green foliage grows until July, when it ripens and disappears. About a month later the flower stalks rise 2 to 3 feet, developing 8 to 12 large, lily-shaped flowers of delicate lilac-pink. Perfectly hardy. Cover crown 4 inches. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00; 6 for \$5.00.



STERNBERGIA LUTEA

LYCORIS

Radiata. Often misnamed Nerine sarniensis. From ten to twenty flowers are borne on slender scapes 1 to 1½ feet high in early autumn. They are bright crimson in color, about 1½ inches across, the sickle-shaped segments being scarcely crisped; filaments are bright red. The leaves appear after the flowers. They are easily grown indoors in the North, but in the South may be grown outdoors in ordinary good garden soil. 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50.

EREMURUS (Foxtail Lilies)

These Desert Candles from Turkestan are objects of curiosity in American gardens. Hardy, they make a spectacular show from late May through June. Plant 6 inches deep in rich, porous, loamy soil. They require sunny, well-drained locations. Plant in fall, and mulch over winter with straw or any other similar material. The flower spikes are often 6 feet tall. Roots multiply rapidly. Foliage disappears after the flowers. Annuals may be planted close to them. Plant in groups of three or more. Those we offer are five years old or more, and of blooming size.

SHELFORD HYBRIDS

Pastel shades—coppery pink, orange, pale yellow, pink, etc. fine for garden or cut flowers. They grow to 6 feet and when cut, last two to three weeks in water.

Isobel. Coppery orange. **Moonlight.** Pale yellow.

Rosalind. Bright pink. White Beauty. Pure white. \$3.00 each; any 3 for \$8.00; any 6 for \$15.00; any 12 for \$29.00 Shelford Mixed Hybrids. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50; 6 for \$12.00.

TWO NEW BEAUTIES

Tubergeni. Tall. Pale yellow spikes. \$4.50 each; 3 for \$12.00. **Warei.** Tall spike with coppery rose flowers, suffused orange. \$4.50 each; 3 for \$12.00.



CROCUS

STERNBERGIA LUTEA

WILL BLOOM THIS FALL

This interesting and beautiful fall-blooming bulb resembles the Autumn Crocus but produces much larger blooms on sturdy, 6 to 8-inch stems. The flowers are rich, brilliant yellow. Unlike the Autumn Crocus and Colchicum, which it resembles in blooms, Sternbergia has the advantage of developing its graceful foliage shortly before it blooms, adding to the beauty of the richly textured flowers which come forth about the middle of September. Hardy and permanent in the garden. Plant the bulbs about 6 inches deep in a well-drained, sunny location. In the northern states give light protection over winter. Bulbs should be planted early, therefore send your order as soon as possible. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00.

CROCUS "The Cheery Spring Crocus"

For a bright spot in the flower bed, under shrubs, for the rock garden or lawn, nothing equals the cheery spring Crocus. We offer Carroll Gardens top-size bulbs in five colors: blue, purple, striped, white and yellow. Any color, 12 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.00; 50 for \$3.85; \$6.75 per 100.

SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFER

OFFER No. 3F-58: 25 bulbs, 5 each of the 5 colors \$2.25 OFFER No. 3F-58A: 50 bulbs, 10 each of the 5 colors \$4.00 OFFER No. 3F-58B: 100 bulbs, 20 each of the 5 colors \$7.25

Special Blend of Mixed Colors: 50 for \$3.50; \$6.00 per 100; 200 for \$11.00; 500 for \$25.00

FREMURUS

Bungei. Golden yellow spikes. Late. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50. Him-Rob. Blush-pink, Very tall. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50. Robustus. Giant Eremurus. Deep pink spikes. Late. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

COLCHICUM "The Wonder Bulb" YES, THEY'LL BLOOM FOR YOU THIS FALL

These autumn-flowering bulbs are at home in a sunny spot in garden or rock garden. Each bulb produces many large Crocuslike blossoms in September and October. Plant bulbs and leave undisturbed to increase each year. If kept indoors, will bloom in September without soil or water and later may be planted outdoors. Plant about 4 inches deep. Our giant size bulbs will send up severalt about Plant early. Order soon.

Named varieties, 40c each; 3 of any one variety for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50, except where noted

6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50, except where locks.

Autumnale Album. Pure white.

Autumnale Album Plenum. Large double white flowers.

\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Autumnale Major. Massive flowers of rosy purple.

Autumnale Roseum Plenum. Double rosy lilac.

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Autumnale Roseum Plenum. Earliest to blossom, very large flowers.

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Bornmuelleri. Cup-shaped. Long-tubed rosy lilac flowers.

Fadu.

Early.

Conquest. New. Dark violet. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

Guizot. New. Very large; dark violet.

Lilac Wonder. Beautiful mauve-violet.

Premier. New. Pinkish mauve; large white center.

President Coolidge. Very large, mauve flowers.

Speciosum. Large, deep rosy purple.

Speciosum Album. New. Very large; pure white. \$2.00 each;

3 for \$5.00.

The Giant. Deep lilac mauve, fine white base. The largest

late flowering. Deep linac mauve, line white base. The largest late flowering.

Violet Queen. Deep violet-purple.

Waterlily. New and scarce. Large, full double, lilac-mauve, \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.50.

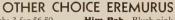
Giant-flowered Hybrids in Mixed Shades. 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.25; 25 for \$6.25.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

6 outstanding varieties

Autumnale Album Autumn Queen Autumnale Roseum Plenum **Violet Queen** The Giant

OFFER No. 3F-59: 12 bulbs, 2 each of above varieties,











PHLOX divaricata (Laphami)

A beautiful early spring-blooming species. Completely covered with blue flowers on 12-inch stems. Grows well in either shade or sun if watered during hottest weather. 60e each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$4.85.

CREEPING PHLOX SUBULATA (Mountain Pink)

For use in the rock garden or wall garden, on steep slopes, for ground-cover. Grows best in well-drained soil and full sun. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$4.85.

Blue
Pink
Red
White

SPECIAL OFFER NO. 3F-61: 4 plants, one of each color, for \$2.00.

SPECIAL OFFER NO. 3F-61A: 12 plants, 3 of each, for \$5.00.

Three New Phlox subulata—to extend the Blooming Season

These three new varieties are very showy, with blooms twice the size of the older kinds. More upright in growth, with stems 6 to 8 inches high. They bloom about two weeks later and also again in the fall.

Camla. Clear brilliant pink with no magenta. 65c each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.00.

Camla alba. Lovely white tinted lavender. 65c each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.00.

Sprouse Delight. New for 1952. An exclusive Carroll Gardens introduction originated by W. W. Sprouse of Staunton, Va. A deep rose color appealing to all who see it. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.50.

SPECIAL OFFER NO. 3F-62

3 plants, one each of above 3 varieties. for \$2.00.

> **SPECIAL** OFFER NO. 3F-62A

9 plants, 3 of each, for \$5.00.

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ENCHANTMENT

Finest Hardy LILIES

These glorious new and better Lilies were grown in Oregon, on the slopes of Mount Hood. Order bulbs now. They will be shipped with their full root systems intact, in late October and early November, which is the proper planting time. Select a spot for them in rich, porous soil that is sunny and well drained. Full cultural instructions will be sent with shipment.

AMABILE. Bright, unfading grenadine-red flowers spotted black, on strong, slender, 3-foot stems. Free flowering. Best as a bold accent in the border, it does well in full sun and will stand considerable drought. 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.00.

AURATUM PLATYPHYLLUM (Goldband Lily). Immense blooms, from 7 to 9 inches across, exotic and richly scented. As many as 15 are borne on a mature plant, standing fully 6 or 7 feet high. Needs rich, well-drained soil and prefers light shade. Late fall planting gives best results. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 12 for \$15.00.

CASCADE MADONNA LILY. Highly disease resistant. The foliage stays green long after the flower has gone. Must be planted very shallow. Order now and plant just as early as possible. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.00.

CASCADE WHITE ELF. A charming dwarf variety never over 14 inches tall, with pure white flowers. The first dwarf Madonna Lily. Plant shallow. Order very early, for we have only 500 bulbs this year. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00; 12 for \$25.00.

ENCHANTMENT. A most beautiful, vibrantly colored new hybrid with many large, cupped, upright flowers of an intense, blaring nasturtium-red. Long-lasting flowers. Late June and early July bloom. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.50.

ESTATE. A magnificent Lily for midsummer. Extra-large, pure white flowers freely produced on 4-foot stems. Plant 6 to 8 inches deep in average soil. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.50.

FIESTA HYBRIDS. Gracefully reflexed flowers with a glossy, rich sheen than makes them shine in the sun. On 4-foot stems, bearing from 6 to 12 flowers. Color range is complete. Plant in sun.

FIREFLAME. A vivid, sparkling Indian-red. Wide-petaled flowers of great substance that face straight upward and glossy, healthy foliage combine to make this a most rewarding plant. Late June flowering. Grows 2 to 3 feet tall. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00; 12 for \$17.50.

FORMOSANUM. The latest flowering of all the popular Lilies, this white trumpet type is especially desirable for moderate climates. Often flowers as late as September. Our strain is tall and free flowering. Plant 5 to 6 inches deep in sun or partial shade; water during the summer. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$4.50.

GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRIDS. An impressive group of trumpet Lilies with very large flowers, combined with a green throat and brown petal exteriors. Distinct in shape and color from Olympic Hybrids, and valuable for exhibition and specimen planting as well as cutting. Same culture as Olympic Hybrids; plant in very light shade. \$1.10 each; 3 for \$3.00; 12 for \$11.00.

HANSONI. A golden yellow Lily from Japan with reflexed, pendent flowers of great substance. One of the hardiest Lilies known, with deep green, glossy foliage in numerous whorls around the stem, which carries 5 to 10 large flowers. Does best in partial

HARLEQUIN. A late June-flowering novelty part Tiger and part Candlestick Lily. Very rugged. A warm-toned salmon flushed lovely soft pink. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.50; 12 for \$20.00. **HEART'S DESIRE.** Imagine a giant Regal Lily with huge, orange-throated flowers. These

trumpet Lilies, fully as tall and vigorous, are of hybrid origin, which gives them added vigor and beauty. Huge pyramids of flowers in warm tones. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00; 12 for \$25.00.

HENRYI. The purplish brown stems grow 5 to 8 feet tall, with shining, dark, pointed leaves. Blooms in late July and August, with 20 or more golden orange, recurved, pendent flowers. Likes slight shade. Since the tall, wiry stems bend with the wind and rain, it needs support by stakes or shrubbery. Plant 6 inches deep and 8 to 12 inches apart.







to Plant this Fall

LILLIAN CUMMINGS. A grand Lily from Canada with grenadine-red flowers on 3 to 5-foot stems. Vigorous, disease-free garden plant. Plant 4 to 5 inches deep in full sun or partial shade. Lift and separate when clumps become too crowded. July flowering. 80c each; for \$2.00; 12 for \$8.00.

OLYMPIC HYBRIDS. The finest, tallest and largest trumpet Lilies yet produced. Broader and stronger flowers than the Regal Lily, with pyramidal flower heads. Flowers vary from ivory-white through soft green, with deeper green and russet tints on the outside. graceful, 5 to 7-foot plants flower in July and do well in full sun or light shade. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.50.

OLYMPIC PINK. Selected from tens of thousands of Olympic Lilies. A strain with accentuated coloring and large, widely expanded flowers. New, robust, giant trumpet Lilies in shades of fuchsia to rose-pink. They need filtered sunlight and cool weather to bring out They are apt to bleach in full sun. \$4.00 each; 3 for \$11.00; 12 for \$42.00.

OLYMPIC SPECIAL SELECT. The very finest plants, tagged for seed production to improve our strain. Since they can be tagged only while in flower, we must have your orders for them as early as possible. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 12 for \$12.50.

PAGODA. Tall, dark mahogany-colored stem with deepest green, glossy foliage, contrasting strongly with the muted orange, broad-petaled flowers. Touches of amber and soft pink show on the fully open petals. Many flowers and buds on each stem, opening over a long period. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 12 for \$10.00.

PARADE. Rich golden yellow, outward-facing flowers with burnished gold midrib in each petal. Bloome will preceden a fact strong \$2.00 and \$2.50.

in each petal. Blooms well spaced on 2-foot stems. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.50.

RAINBOW HYBRIDS. A Candlestick Lily in gay, sparkling new colors. Vigorous and hardy. From 1 to 3 feet tall, they will grow anywhere. Colors range from pale straw-yellow to deepest maroon. June flowering. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$6.00.

RED CHAMPION. The lovely Speciosum Lily from Japan. Has won out in all competitive trials. Blooms in late August. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 12 for \$12.50.

REGALE. The most widely grown of all trumpet Lilies and has done a great deal to popularize the Lily family for garden use. Prolific, sturdy and hardy. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$4.25.

SUNBURST STRAIN. These startlingly new, exotic Lilies are intermediate between the tall, orange, nodding Henryi Lily and the best of the Olympics. Five to 7-foot stems carry as many as 30 huge flowers for several weeks in July. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00; 12 for \$25.00.

SUNBURST YELLOW. New 1953 introduction so limited in quantity we can offer only one to a customer. Pure golden yellow that stands the sunshine without bleaching. \$6.00 each.

TALISMAN. A completely new and different Tiger Lily. Vigorous and prolific. Flowers in early July. Perfect for the border, for the open woodland, for cutting. Stands 5 to 6 feet tall, with many large, nodding flowers. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.50.

TENUIFOLIUM (pumilum). The Coral Lily is one of the most easily grown and most popular. On thin, wiry stems seldom more than 2 feet tall, numerous bright scarlet or lacquer-red flowers are borne in June. Small and dainty. Preferring full sun and a well-drained location, it is at home in the rock garden or in groups in the hardy border. Plant 4 inches deep. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$4.50.

WHITE CHAMPION. A worthy companion for Red Champion. Purest white, vigorous and dependable. Supply is limited, so order early. September flowering. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50; 12 for \$17.50.

WHITE CHAMPION

SPECIAL COLLECTION

OFFER 3F-63

1 each of the 8 Lilies illustrated for only \$8.00 (Value \$9.10)

OFFER 3F-63A

24 bulbs, 3 each of the 8 illustrated, for \$21.50 (Value \$24.50)





New and Better DAFFODILS of Unsurpassed Loveliness 1A LORD NELSON An enormous pale vellow flowbe dug up and replanted. er of elegant form; broad, overlapping perianth.
Tail, strong stems, 3 for \$1.00;
6 for \$1.75; 12 for

Narcissus are among the earliest spring-flowering bulbs and as such are most welcome. Their gay yellow and white, and cream and orange blooms seem to be the very essence of the new season. It is well to plant them where they will have shrubs or evergreens as a background. Smaller kinds are very effective in the rock garden, and for a superb spring picture there is nothing to surpass a large planting of naturalized Narcissus.

These bulbs are very hardy and may be left in the ground undisturbed for several seasons. They need a well-drained location. Plant the bulbs 4 to 5 inches deep, as early as possible in the fall. Smaller and fewer

flowers after a few years indicate that the bulbs need to

PLEASE NOTE: New classifications of Daffodils on page 15.

1C Ada Finch. One of the very earliest. Pure white, overlapping perianth; large, well-shaped trumpet with deeply flanged and rolled rim. The immense flower is carried on a tall, stiff stem. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.50.

1C Beersheba. The famous white Daffodil. A magnificent flower. Large, perfectly flat perianth; trumpet long and flanged at mouth. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.25.

6B Beryl. A lovely little Cyclamineus hybrid bearing gracefully drooping flowers with primrose-yellow, slightly reflexing perianth and small, globular, bright orange cup shading to gold. Ideal for rock gardens. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25.

2B Brookville. Pure white; cup citron-yellow. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.00.

2A Carbineer. See page 15.

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3.25; 25 for

2B Delaware. Somewhat similar to Daisy Schaffer, but smaller and if possible even more gracefully formed. Cup opens golden quince color, changing to creamy lemon; exceptionally deeply crinkled. A splendid flower, nicely scented. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25.

2B Diamond Jubilee. Perianth nearly pure white; crown brilliant tangerine-orange, flat and strongly fringed. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75;

2B Dick Wellband. Perianth pure white; cup flame-orange. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50.

2B Duke of Windsor. White; cup pale orange. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50;

2B E. H. Wilson. Pure white perianth; shallow crown, fluted at margin, of light yellow passing to ivory. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25.

2A Fortune. Cream-yellow perianth; cup glowing soft orange. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for

8 Geranium. The loveliest of the sweet-scented, bunchflowered Narcissus. White with orange-red cup. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.25.

1A Golden Harvest, Very early. Deep golden yellow of large size. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.50.

2A Jeanne Desor. Primrose-yellow perianth; large, flat, flaring crown of saffron-yellow, nicely fringed. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.50.

3B Kansas. See page 15.

CARROLL GARDENS Blue Ribbon DAFFODIL MIXTURE

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A well-balanced mixture of top-notch Daffodils. Plant this mixture this fall and your garden will be the talk of the neighborhood next spring.

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BROOKVILLE

2B La Argentina. Broad white perianth; cup white but filled with radiating stripes of yellow and orange. Very attractive. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for

3B La Beaute. A very unusual flower with white perianth and frilled, yellow cup, tinted reddish orange at the edges. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.25.

2B Lemon Cup. Soft cream-white perianth; buttercup-yellow crown, inside broadly edged pale yellow. Crown is flat, strongly ruffled and flaring. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.00.

2A Leviathan. Cream-white perianth; ruffled, buttercup-yellow cup with deep yellow edge. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25;

1A Limone. Primrose-yellow perianth; trumpet of a lighter shade but broadly edged darker yellow and nicely fringed. Inside of cup is creamy white. A new color combina tion. 50c each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$5.00.

2C Lord Teddar. Very beautiful; late blooming. White perianth; lemon and gold frilled, rather large cup. 75c each: 3 for \$2.00: 6 for \$3.50.

1A Lord Wellington. Deep golden yellow; long, graceful trumpet. Rather late. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.50.

2B Manco. Ivory-white; cup brilliant reddish orange. Sc each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.50.

2B Mary Blonk. White perianth; flaring, rich canary-yellow cup, edged marigold-orange. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25;

RED MARLEY

2B Milk and Cream. A "different" color. Pure white perianth and enormous, self-colored flat crown of Indian yellow, showing distinct shadings of salmon. Shows the color better after it has been open a few days. \$4.00 each; 2 for \$7.50; 3 for \$10.00.

1C Mount Hood. The giant flower opens cream color, fading to purest white. The perfect form makes it one of the most admired Daffodils in our garden. Rather late flowering. 65c each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.00; 12 for \$5.50; 25 for \$10.00.

1C Mrs. E. H. Krelage. Really a pale bicolor, but changing to a uniform ivory-white. Very graceful. 3 for 75c: for \$1.35; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.50.

28 Orange Monarch. Broad, ivory-white perianth and enormous, flaring crown of brilliant orange. Outstanding; early. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.25; 25 for \$6.00.
9 Polar Ice. Pure white with fringed, nearly white crown. A very attractive novelty. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50;

1B President Le Brun. Deep yellow trumpet, tinged orange; overlapping, pure white perianth. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.25; 25 for \$6.00.

2A Red Marley. Perianth golden yellow; cup quite long, tinted richest red. 85c each; 3 for \$2.25; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.00. 2A Rene de Chalons. Clear yellow, broad,

cup is deeper yellow. Late flowering, 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00.

4 Shirley Temple. Pure white. The loveliest double white variety ever offered. \$1.10 each; 3 for \$3.00; 6 for \$5.50.

2B Silver Star. Cream-white perianth; cup primrose changing to cream-white, a shade deeper than the perianth. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75.

Times Square. New for 1953! Large, broad, round perianth of pure white; strongly fringed cup of deep orange, somewhat paler in the throat. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.50.

1A Unsurpassable. Extremely large, yellow flower. Early. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.25; 25 for \$6.00.

2A Wodan. Canary-yellow perianth; buttercup-yellow cup, flared. Superb. 60c each 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for

2A Zarah Leander. See page

Carroll Gardens Inexpensive Special Blend Daffodil Mixture

is composed of many varieties of all types. Really an outstanding mixture for naturalizing and for group or mass planting. Nice large bulbs; all will bloom next

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LOUISE DE COLIGNY

Louise de Coligny. In our estimation this is the most graceful variety ever offered. The reflexing habit of the perianth, which is pure white and of good substance, tends to throw the neat apricot-pink cup into focus. Shows its color immediately on opening, while some of the other pinks do so the second or third day. Another and very pleasant attraction is that it is strongly ant attraction is that it is strongly fragrant. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 6 for \$5.50; 12 for \$10.00.

Pink Rim. Stiff, pure white perianth of good form. The cup is pale citron-yellow with a very distinct light picotee-pink rim. This variety draws attention wherever shown, for it is quite distinct from all others. Strong, tall stem. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.50.

Siam. Well-formed, pure white perianth. The wide, flaring trumpet is apricot color, changing to soft pink. A giant among the pinks, it will be a leader as soon as it becomes better known. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.00.

The New PINK DAFFODILS

Delicate pastel tints-apricot to pink-will appear in various stages of development. Some are yellow when they first open, fading to different pink tones. Others show pink at first opening, getting deeper as the flower matures. You simply cannot help liking them. Plant a few in your garden this fall, and let their lovely blooms thrill you next spring.



PINK RIM

VERY SPECIAL OFFER No. 3F-65

1 each of the 5 Pink Daffodils illustrated for only \$4.25 (Value \$5.00)

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15 Bulbs, 3 of each, for \$11.50 (Value \$13.00)

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE

Not illustrated

The famous and popular pink Daffodil now offered at very low prices. Ivory-white perianth and long, slim trumpet of apricot-pink changing to shell-pink at edges. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.50; \$15.50 per 100.



GLORY

Pink Glory. The "orchid" among Narcissi. Pure white perianth, somewhat loose but graceful, with an exquisite long trumpet opening light Indian yellow, soon shading to a lovely pink, inside deep pinkish apricot. When used in a small corsage with some asparagus green, this is as delicate as an orchid. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.50; 12 for \$8.50.

Rosy Sunrise. The queen of the new pink novelties. Pure white perianth of good substance, with a large, strongly fringed trumpet of pure salmon-apricot with distinct rose-pink shading. The inside of the trumpet turns to soft Indian yellow when fully developed. Free-flowering. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 6 for \$5.50; 12 for \$10.00.



SIAM



MARY COPELAND

UNUSUAL AND INTERESTING DOUBLE DAFFODILS

- 4 and 8 Cheerfulness. Sweet-scented, double flowers in clusters. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25.
- 4 Daphne. Pure white, gardenia-like bloom. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35;
- 4 Inglescombe. Very large. Beautiful soft yellow throughout. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for
- 4 Mary Copeland. Creamy white with orange center. A show flower. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3 00.
- 4 Royal Sovereign. Lovely creamy white, intermixed with pale primrose-yellow. Very attractive. 3 for \$1.10; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$3.50.
- 4 Shirley Temple. See page 13.
- Twink. A combination of creamy yellow and red. Early. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.10; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.25.

Narcissus for Indoor Forcing

For growing in water with pebbles. Fine imported

Paper-White. The popular bunch-flowering Narcissus. Very fragrant. 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50.

Soleil d'Or. Deep yellow with orange-yellow cup. 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50.

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- **2A Carbineer.** Bright yellow perianth; deep orange-red cup. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.50.
- 3B Kansas. Very large, pure white perianth; cup lemon-yellow with cinnamon-colored edge. 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00. 2A Zarah Leander. Deep yellow perianth with very attractive, frilled, orange cup. 50c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for

Don't Overlook the New Giant John Evelyn Hybrid Narcissus

Listed and Illustrated on pages 12 and 13:

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- Trumpet Daffodils
 1A yellow
 1B bicolor
- 1C white 1D others
- 1D others

 2. Large-cupped Daffodils
 2A yellow, cup colored
 2B white, cup colored
 2C white, cup white
 2D others
- number before each name.
 Division
 3. Short-cupped Daffodils
 3A yellow, cup colored
 3B white, cup colored
 3C white, cup white
 3D others
 4. Doubles
 5. Triandrus Hybrid
 5A large-cupped
 5B short-cupped

- Division

 6. Cyclamineus Hybrids

 6. A large-cupped

 6. B short-cupped

 7. Jonquilla Hybrids

 7. A large-cupped

 7. B short-cupped

 8. Tazetta (Bunch-flow-

- 8. Tazetta ered) 9. Poeticus
- 10. Species and wild forms
 11. All others



JOHN EVELYN DAFFODILS AND GRAPE HYACINTHS

5A Thalia. Two or three

lovely, pure white flowers

on a stem, making a beautiful cluster. Each bloom is about 2 inches across. Suitable for the rock garden or flower border and

6A February Gold (Cyclamineus). Very easily forced indoors. Lovely outdoors in the rock garden or border.

POPULAR Daffodils

2B John Evelyn. A very attractive, popular variety with pure white perianth and lemonyellow cup. 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00; \$11.50 per 100.

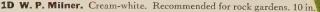
Grape Hyacinths (Muscari). The deep and light blue Grape Hyacinths make a wonderful color combination when planted with yellow and white Daffodils. Deep Blue, Light Blue, White or Mixed. 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.50; \$4.50 per 100.

DAINTY MINIATURE **DAFFODILS**



- 10 Jonquilla Simplex. The true single sweet Jonquil. Numerous small, rich yellow flowers of delicious scent in May.
- 10 Old Pheasant's Eye. Perianth pure white, reflexing; eye mar-gined deep orange-red. Very fragrant.
- 10 Albus Plenus Odoratus. Snowy white; sweet scented. Gardenia-like blossoms. Late.
- 10 Bulbocodium Conspicuus. The yellow Hoop Petticoat. Flowers rich golden yellow. 6 in.

Any of the above, 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25



- **Albus** (Angel's Tears). Drooping creamy white flowers with reflexing perianth. Graceful and dainty, also double form. 8 to 12 in.
- 6A February Gold. See color illustration.
- 10 Canaliculatus. Small flower. Yellow perianth, with clear

Any of the above, 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.50

- 6B Beryl. See page 12.
- 10 Juncifolius. The miniature rush-leaved Daffodil. Small, rich yellow flowers with a dainty little flattish crown. Delicately fragrant. 3 to 4 in.

Any of the above, 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50



SWEET-SCENTED **DAFFODILS**

(Bunch-flowered)

These bear three or four blooms on each stem.

- 8 Early Perfection. White with yellow eye.
- 8 Geranium. See page 12.
- 8 Glorious. White with orange eye tinted red.
- 8 Scarlet Gem. Primrose-yellow with deep orange eye.
- 7B Trevithian. Very nice pale yellow throughout.

6 of one variety for 75c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50

Mixed. 25 for \$2.25; \$8.50 per 100.

Lovely "OLD TIMERS"

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As Popular Today As Ever

- 9 Actaea. Snow-white perianth; eye margined dark red,
- 1A Aerolite. Perianth deep primrose; pure medium yellow trumpet.
- **2C Firetail.** Creamy white perianth; orange cup tinted red.
- 1A King Alfred. The popular yellow Daffodil.
- **1B Spring Glory.** Pure yellow trumpet; white perianth. 2A Scarlet Elegans. Dark yellow peri-
- anth; brilliant scarlet cup.

6 of one variety for 90c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.00

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JANE. A sparkling beauty. Very large flowers with long petals. The color is bright scarlet-red with brilliant golden throat. Free blooming in late June and July. 4 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

and July. 4 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.
NANCY MAE. A dwarf form of very free-blooming habit. Flowers are large and most appealing bright rusty red, with yellow throat. Very compact, bushy plants only 2 feet high. June and July. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.
ROSE DUBARRY. A most unusual color—strawberry-red, a little darker at base of petals, with small throat of deep orange. Never burns in the hottest sun. Free-blooming habit in late June and July. 3½ ft. Introduced by Carroll Gardens in 1951 and has been acclaimed by experts to be one of the very finest and unusual Daylilies. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.



Newer Varieties

AUGUSTA. Huge, trumpet-shaped blooms on sturdy, 3½ to 4-foot stems. Pale yellow, just a bit deeper than Hyperion. Early August and often into early September. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00. CARNIVAL. Really a bicolor. Very large, light red blooms with large yellow stripe in center of each petal; full golden yellow throat. Blooms freely in July and August. 3½ ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00. ENCHANTRESS. Huge blooms of soft yellow to copper-gold; faint pink throat. Late July and August. 4 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00. FULVA ROSEA. A species with lovely pink flowers of medium size. Late July through August. 3 to 3½ ft. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50. MRS. C. L. SEITH. One of the earliest of the giant-flowering Day-lilies. Beautiful deep golden yellow. Starts to bloom in late May. 3½ ft. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. PATRICIA. Fragrant; pale lemon and lemon-chrome with a cooler

3½ ft. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PATRICIA. Fragrant; pale lemon and lemon-chrome with a cooler green throat. One of the daintiest pale yellows. June and early July. Only 2 to 2½ ft. high. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.50.

PINK CHARM. Large, recurving, dusky rose-pink flowers shading to rose-red. June and sometimes again in the fall. 3 to 3½ ft. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.00.

WAUBUN. Broad, recurving, twisty petals of soft cadmium-yellow with outer half of petals flushed terra-cotta. June to July. 2 to 2½ ft. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

LEONIAN HYBRIDS. Red shades mixed. Excellent form; medium to dark reds. June to July. 3 to 3½ ft. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.00; 25 for \$12.50.

Popular Varieties

75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.50; 25 for \$12.00

AUGUST PIONEER. 2½ ft. Small flowers of chrome-orange. Early August to middle of September. CINNABAR. 2 ft. Lovely reddish brown, yellow center. July to

August.

EARLIANA. 2½ ft. Deep golden yellow. May to June.

GEORGE YELD. 4½ ft. Rich orange-yellow, flushed with rose on inside of petals. July.

GOLDENI. 2 ft. Deep golden yellow. June to July.

GYPSY. 2 ft. Deep golden yellow. June to July.

IMPERATOR. 4½ ft. Rich orange-red with yellow throat. July to August.

J.R. MANN. 3½ ft. Golden yellow. July.

LINDA. 3 ft. Golden yellow with cinnamon bars on each petal. July to

MIKADO. 3 ft. Orange marked purple-red. June, July.

MODESTY. 3 ft. Large; pale yellow. June.

MRS. A. H. AUSTIN. 2½ ft. Cup-shaped; deep orange-yellow. July to

MRS. W. H. WYMAN. 3½ ft. Pale glistening yellow. Late July and August. OCHROLEUCA. 3 ft. Small; pale yellow. Blooms in evening. August. OPHIR. 3½ ft. Huge blooms of rich golden yellow. July to August. THE GEM. 3½ ft. A popular all-round yellow. June to July.

The Popular Old Stand-Bys

60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$4.85

DR. REGEL. 18 in. Rich orange-yellow. May to June.
FLAVA (Lemon Lily). 2 ft. Sweet-scented; lemon-yellow. May to June.
KWANSO. 3 ft. Double; orange-bronze. June to July.
MINOR. 15 in. Lemon-yellow. May.
THUNBERGI. 3 ft. Buttercup-yellow. July to August.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 3F-68

6 Plants one each of the 6 varieties illustrated \$3.50 (Value \$4.50)

(Left side, top to bottom) Linda, Cinnabar, Imperator, (Right side, top to bottom) August Pioneer, Gypsy, Ophir



Peonies Are a Life-Time

Peonies are long-lived plants that do not require transplanting unless they show signs of deterioration. For that reason it is worth while to be particular about the place where they are to be planted. Choose a sunny location that gets good drainage. Dig deep, and use some well-rotted cow manure or a commercial fertilizer to enrich the soil. Bonemeal is also recommended.

Fall is the best time to plant Peonies. Plant so that the eyes are $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inches below the soil

The varieties offered here are the very finest in their class; only the highest rated are offered. The plants offered are strong, 3 to 5-eye, healthy plants and should give excellent results.

DOUBLE PEONIES

The number following the name means the rating of the American Peony Society.

(E) indicates earliest flowering varieties; (E-M) early to midseason; (M) midseason; (M-L) midseason to late; (L) latest blooming

American Beauty. Deep rose-red, very large and distinct. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

Baroness Schroeder. 9.0. (M) Blush turning to purest white; fragrant. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

Cherry Hill. 8.6. (E) Dark crimson, showing yellow stamens. Very attractive. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Claude Tain. Pure white, large round flower. Beautiful. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.

Cornelia Shaylor. 9.1. (L) Shell-pink. Fine-shaped flower. Outstanding. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

Duchesse de Nemours. 8.1. (E) Cream-white; very free flowering. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

E. C. Shaw. 9.1. (M-L) Light old-rose; very fragrant. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

Felix Crousse. 8.4. (M) Brilliant red. Free bloomer. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

Festiva Maxima. 9.3. (E) Fine white, with few crimson flecks. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 12 for \$12.00. Glorious. (Kelway Glorious). 9.8. (M) White with creamy suffusion; rose-like fragrance. \$2.50 each;

Hansina Brand. 9.0. (L) Flesh-pink, with salmon reflex. \$4.00 each; 3 for \$10.50.

Inspecteur Lavergne. 8.7. (E) Beautiful deep red. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Jeannot. 9.2. (L) Light lavender-pink; very sweetly rose scented. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Karl Rosenfield. 8.8. (M) Bright crimson. Free bloomer. One of the best deep reds for cutting. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 12 for \$12.00.

Lady Alexandra Duff. 9.1. (E-M) Light pink, fading to white, touched with yellow and carmine. \$1.50 each: 3 for \$4.00.

Le Cygne. 9.9. (E) Finest pure white. The highest rated Peony. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

Longfellow. 9.0. (E-M) One of the most popular red Peonies. Striking bright crimson. Large flower; good stem. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50; 6 for \$8.00.

Martha Bulloch. 9.1. (L) Very large; bright old-rose-pink. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

Mary Brand. 8.7. (M) Brilliant dark crimson blooms of perfect form. Free flowering. \$1.50 each; 3 for

Miss Eckart. 8.8. (L) Very large. Deep pink on sturdy stems. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.

Mme. Emile Debatene. (M) Vivid China rose. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Mme. Jules Dessert. 9.4. (M-L) Light opalescent pink. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Mons. Jules Elie. (E) Immense flower of fine pink. One of the best pinks for cutting. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 12 for \$12.00.

Mons. Martin Cahuzac. 8.8. (E-M) Dark maroon-red. The darkest Peony. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. Mrs. Edward Harding. 9.3. (M) Pure white, golden stamens. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Phillippe Rivoire. 9.2. (E) Bright deep crimson. Very well-formed flower; sweet rose scented. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

Primevere. 8.6. (M) Light creamy yellow. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. Richard Carvel. 8.8. (M) Brilliant crimson. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Sarah Bernhardt. 9.0. (L) Deep rosepink, silver tipped; fragrant. Free bloomer; fine late cut flower. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 12 for \$12.50.

Therese. 9.8. (E-M) Very large, pale, translucent old-rose-pink, paling toward the base. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.

Walter Faxon. 9.3. (M) Vivid shell-pink of luminous intensity. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.



Special Offer No. 3F-69

The 3 Peonies shown in center of these pages: Jeannot, Inspecteur Lavergne, Festiva Maxima

> one each of the 3 for



Investment — PLANT THE BEST

SINGLE PEONIES

The Single Peonies are excellent in the garden. Their lighter flowers and stiff but graceful stems make them stand up better than Double Peonies. With their brilliant colors they are unsurpassed for the perennial border and in front of and among shrubbery. They are of easy culture and bloom about the same time as Double Peonies. Their average height is 2 to 3 feet.

Eva. Bright lilac-crimson, golden center. Very lively color; late. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25. **Fuyajo.** Mahogany, tipped light bronze. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25.

Hani-Gidue. Pure white with golden center, like a large white poppy. \$4.00 each; 3 for \$10.50. Jeanne Lapandry. Pure white; flat cream center. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

King of England. Deep carmine. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

Kinsui. Light salmon-pink; pure golden center. Large flowers with two rows of petals. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3,25.

L'Etincelante. Carmine with a silvery margin; gold center. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

Lobata, Sunshine. Large, single, salmon-orange flowers with very attractive brilliant red seed pods. \$4.50 each.

Mikado. Deep crimson; staminodes dark rose-red with golden edges. Large flowers. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25

Otto Froebel. A most outstanding Peony with single, brick-red blooms. Incurved, brownish green foliage. \$4.50 each.

Surugu. Pure red; thick yellow staminodes. Cup-shaped flowers. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25. Tamate-Boku. Lively china-pink; golden center. Very large. \$4.50 each; 3 for \$12.00. The Pearl. Very large, creamy flowers with red edge; bright pink center. \$2.00 each;

Whittleyi Major. Enormous, single, pure white flowers with small, golden yellow center.



RICHARD CARVEL

FESTIVA MAXIMA

PEONY OFFICINALIS (Early or May-Blooming Peonies)

In this group belongs the early red Peony of our grandmother's garden. However, some outstanding new varieties have been developed and are offered here. This group will help greatly to extend the Peony season due to the fact that they come into bloom about two weeks earlier than others.

Alba Plena. True white. Double. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25. Rosea Plena. Bright rose. Double. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. Rubra Plena. Rich dark red. Double. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Tree Peonies

This famous group is the shrub type. The stems do not die to the ground each year as the herbaceous Peonies do, and in the course of many years they will reach the height of 3 to 4 feet. Most varieties bloom in early spring—late April to the end of May, depending on the locality. They are of easy culture and grow anywhere other Peonies do. It is best, however, to plant them where they are sheltered from sweeping wind.

Prices quoted are for 2-year-old, 5-inch pot plants. Field-grown plants are available at 21/2 times the prices quoted for potted plants.

We also have many additional varieties.

Archiduc Ludovico. Large; flesh-pink, turning to soft lilac. \$5.00 each.

Argosy. Single; pure yellow. \$10.50 each.

Athlete. Glazed mauve, shaded rose. \$5.50 each.

Flora. Pure transparent white, slightly blotched violet, carmine at throat. \$11.50 each.

Jules Pirlot. Satiny pink, flushed carmine. \$5.00 each.

La Lorraine. Large double flowers of a soft sulphur-yellow with a salmon tinge when opening,

Satin Rouge. Double; blood-orange. An altogether new color in Peonies. \$12.50 each.

Yaso-no-Mine. Semi-double; pure white.

FERN-LEAF PEONIES (Tenuifolia)

This distinct species comes into bloom very early and has graceful, very small fern-leaf foliage. It is entirely distinct from any other Peonies. Very brilliant and much admired by visitors in our

Tenuifolia Rosea. Single pink. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00. Tenuifolia Plena. Double red. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.75.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 3F-70

One each of these 6 beautiful and free-blooming varieties shown in color, except Tree Peony: Walter Faxon, Mikado, Jeannot, Inspecteur Lavergne, Festiva Maxima, Richard Carvel

All six for only \$7.50 Value \$9.00



TREE PEONY



BLUE SHIMMER

Aladdin's Wish. 3 ft. Porcelain-blue brushed cream color, which radiates through the flower. Blooms are very large, patterned like some Japanese Iris. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.
Amandine. 3 ft. Cool lemon-cream self. One of the finest creams. \$3.00 each.
Amigo. 3 ft. A striking contrast, with clear light lavender standards effectively foiled by the deep purple velvet, trimly edged falls.
Arab Chief. 3 ft. Brilliant, rich burnt-orange, almost henna. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Azure Skies. Light, cool, airily ruffled pale lavender-blue. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Bandmaster. 3 ft. Immense powder-blue flowers. Stalk tall and well branched. A few shades deeper than Great Lakes; color holds up unusually well, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Berkeley Gold. 3 ft. Shining gold color. Tall stems, good-sized flowers, well substanced and clear colored. Black Wings. A popular Iris of deepest midnight-blue overlaid with a frosty black sheen. Ideal for foreground plantings.

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Easy to Grow in Your Garden

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Any 3 for \$1.50; any 6 for \$2.75; any 12 for \$4.85; any 25 for

Blue Shimmer. See color illustration. 3 ft. Blooms of the clearest tone of blue of any Iris, polka-dotted and peppered, rather than buttonholed, on crisp enameled white. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Brown Thrasher. 3 ft. Like a piece of highly polished brass or bronze. One of the very best brown Iris—smooth in texture, appealing in color and unlike any other. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Bryce Canyon. See color illustration. 3 ft. Distinct warm shade of brown or hennacopper, self colored. Decidedly one of the most interesting blends; fragrant. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Buffawn. 3 ft. Pronounced flaring blooms of light tan color with a pinkish glow; prominent red-orange beard.

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California Gold. See page 22.

California Peach. 38 in. Beautiful blend of peach-pink and apricot, with lavender tint in the center. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Casa Morena. 3 ft. Rich, glowing coppery chestnut-brown. A very large flower with a spicy richness in the sienna-brown shades and a pleasing iridescence. \$1.50 each.

Cascade Splendor. 3 ft. Very large, ruffled pink, tan and apricot blend. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Charmis. 3 ft. As its name implies, a pure

3 for \$5.00.

Chamois. 3 ft. As its name implies, a pure chamois self with a soft satiny finish. An Iris of distinction and refinement, of good substance for its large size. Excellent form, with petals slightly waved; fragrant. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.25.

China Maid. 3 ft. Soft mallow-pink enhanced by a blending of golden buff at the edges of the petals. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50.

Chivalry. 3 ft. Winner of the Dykes Medal for 1047.

75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50.

Chivalry. 3 ft. Winner of the Dykes Medal for 1947 and one of the outstanding varieties in the medium blue range. Excellent form and proportion; ruffled. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

City of Lincoln. 3½ ft. King of the Variegatas! Rich golden standards and velvety bright mahogany-red falls.

ralls.

Copper Lustre. 3 ft. Large, beautiful, copper-toned flower overlaid with a golden iridescence.

Copper Pink. 3 ft. Soft pink flushed sparkling copper and dusted gold. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Dauntless. 3 ft. A standard red self. Deep rose-red with velvety falls. Good color and a fine performer.

Daybreak. 3 ft. A gay golden pink with a coppery undertone—one of the finer pink blends. Slightly ruffled. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Destiny. 3 ft. A rich. somber-toned

Destiny. 3 ft. A rich, somber-toned variety with exceedingly velvety black plum-purple falls and standards and rich gold beard. An effective, very dark Iris.

Spanish red shading to deep maroon, with little purple influence. No veining at the haft; yellow beard flecked brown. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Dreamcastle. 3 ft. Pure orchid-pink done to perfection. A vision of sheer loveliness. A nearly white beard emphasizes the solid orchid-pink color. \$2.00 each;

A nearly write bad chipales and color. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00. Elmohr. See page 22. Elsa Sass. 3 ft. Enticing "lemon-ice" toned yellow, an entirely new shade. Cool and frost-like sulphur-yellow with a white blaze near the half.

Extravaganza. See color illustration. 3 ft. An **XTravaganza**. See color illustration, 3 ft. An Amoena with cream-white standards and rich velvety prune-plum falls, with a copper medley artfully touching up the haft and edge of the falls. The latest Iris to bloom. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Flora Zenor. See page 22.

Frieda Mohr. 3 ft. A large lilac-rose bi-color of classic flaring form and splendid texture.

Garden Magic. 3 ft. Hafts almost maroon; glossy velvety falls hand-somely contrasted by the rich orange beard. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$4.50.

Goldbeater. 3 ft. Solidly colored chromeyellow without markings or blendings of any kind. Very large flowers on excellent branched stems. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

> SPECIAL OFFER No. 3F-71

6 Iris, one each of the 6 illustrated, for . .

Golden Fleece. See color illustration. 3 ft. Not really gold but a beautiful lemon-yellow with creamy falls edged and banded limpid gold. Wholly unlike other yellows. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Golden Russet. 3½ ft. Imagine an Iris measuring 7 inches by 9 inches! Light golden russet in color. Truly enormous in size. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Golden Treasure. 3 ft. Exquisite creamy yellow with rich golden orange all about the central portion of the flower. The beard is bright orange.

Grand Canyon. 3 ft. A subtle, deep blend of plum, copper and gold with center brightened by a gold beard and throat. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Great Lakes. See page 22.

Gudrun. See page 22.

Gypsy. 3 ft. Warm orange cast with copper-gold standards and solid chestnut-brown falls. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

\$2.00.

Gypsy Rose. 3 ft. A warm tapestry-red with a smooth brushing of copper at the haft and a hint of blue at the tip of the heavy yellow beard. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Hi-Time. 2½ ft. Golden apricot with full, deep tangerine-red beard. A fresh and lustrous color, though not a large flower. \$5.00 each.

Jake. White, with no other color except a trace of pale yellow near the center. Large flowers, well formed; free blooming and an easy grower. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50.

\$3.50.

Lady Mohr. 3 to 3 ½ ft. Standards oyster-white, huge and slightly fluted, with strong midribs; falls pale chartreuse with prominent veining. A dark patch surrounds the beard. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Lancaster. 3 ft. Copper and

Lighthouse. 3 ft. Clear old-rose standards and rose-red falls with torch-like center of yellow. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

yellow. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Los Angeles. 3 ft. Snowy
white throughout save for a
slight stitching of cerulean
blue at the haft and at the
base of the standards and a
beard of soft yellow-gold.
Tall, vigorous, well branched.
A classic Iris.

PINK

Lovely pepper-mint-pink. \$1.50 each

CHANTILLY. Very crinkled and ruffled or chidpink. \$1.50 each.

CHERIE. Flamingo-\$8,00 each

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IRIS

Rose and orchid-pink combination. \$5.00 each.

CAMEO. Fresh pure pink. \$1.50 each.

SPINDRIFT.

Delicate coral-\$1.50 each

\$8.50; any 100 for \$30.00, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED

Lothario. Very rich and velvety. Taller than Amigo and with a color contrast not so sharply defined. A magnificent, very large Iris. Stock is extremely scarce. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Majenica. 3 ft. Salmon tinted pink; wide-open flower. Marquita. 3 ft. An Amoena type of cream and watermelon-rose; luminous cream standards. Watermelon-rose falls are veined. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Mexico. See color illustration. Blended bicolor of golden buff standards and broad plush-like falls of glowing red-brown, bordered buff. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Ming Yellow. 3 ft. One of the largest yellows. Clear, smooth yellow evenly toned. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Minnie Colquitt. 3 ft. A striking, massive Plicata. The heart of each petal is pure white, with broad stitching of wine-purple on the border repeated in both the standards and falls. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Missouri. 3 ft. The giant blooms of faultless form and heavy enameled texture are a clear rich shade of medium blue. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Misty Gold. 3 ft. A lovely gold-spangled, lemoncolored Iris with ruffled and fluted petals. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Morocco Rose. 3 ft. Delectable rose-pink with a soft yellow glow at the heart; a pleasing yellow beard.

Mulberry Rose. 3½ ft. An imposing Iris that is really different—a self of radiant mulberry-rose. Large-sized blooms, self colored. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Narain. 3 ft. Pure marine-blue.

Naranja. 3 ft. An ochraceous yellow with the pronounced orange tone concentrated in the falls and with decidedly orange-looking buds.

Ola Kala. 3 ft. This is one of the best of the deep yellows— so intense that it is almost on the orange side. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Patrice. 3 ft. A refined Plicata of beautiful form, distinguished by the subtle brushing of pale gold at the haft and speckling of peach and rosy lavender on the creamy background. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

BRYCE CANYON

Prairie Sunset. 3 ft. Half the colors of the rainbow mingle in the loveliest combination imaginable. In its tints we have pink, rose, apricot, and peach with a radiant sprinkling of gleaming gold. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Rainbow Room. 3 ft. Buff and tan forms the background, with accent points of apricot-buff shadings, the whole complemented by a blaze of blue in the center of each fall just below the beard. \$4.00 each.

Ranger. 3 ft. A self, deep but brilliant, near crimson-red. Late blooming. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Red Gleam. 216 ft. Rich red, velvety and

3 for \$4.00.

Red Gleam. 2½ ft. Rich red, velvety and brilliant, with a chestnut cast. This is a close approach to true red and one of the finer Iris of its color. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Rocket. 3 ft. An orange self that has risen quickly to fame. Standards pure deep chrome; falls orange-chrome almost at the edge. A burnished finish on the falls lends extra depth to the color. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Russet Wings. 3 ft. Smooth combination of

Russet Wings. 3 ft. Smooth combination of copper and apricot with a russet tone playing through all the colors. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Sable. See color illustration. 3 ft. A wonderful shade of deepest black-violet with a claret tone. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Siegfried. 3½ ft. Huge flower, slightly fluted; late blooming. Pale sulphur-yellow with stipples and dottings of brown on both the standards and falls.

Snow Flurry. 3½ ft. A beautiful, rufled blue-white. The unopened buds are lightly tinted blue but open a cool white. Large flowers, strong substanced, on long, short-branching stems. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Snowking. 3 ft. One of the finest white Iris. Ideal in stem and branching and fortunately of rugged hardiness.

Solid Mahogany. 3 ft. A grand new red-one of the Solid Mahogany. 3 ft. A grand new red—one of the finest dark Irises of recent years. Rich, plush-like falls without haft veination; deep bronze-gold beard. Beautifully formed. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50. Spanish Peaks. 3 ft. Completely white in all parts. Very nicely formed blooms with broad petals of heavy substance and fine texture. \$4.00 each Spun Gold. 3 ft. A very famous yellow, winner of the Dykes Medal in 1944. Gleaming, velvety golden yellow of thick texture. Perfect in form, style and color. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50. Star Shine. 3 ft. An unusual coalition of pearly blue and deep cream and white with an over-all iridescent gleam. A very subtle pastel. \$7.00 each.

Sunset Serenade. Unique in color—a loyely golden apricot or apricot-buff

very subtle pastel. \$7.00 each.

Sunset Serenade. Unique in color—a lovely golden apricot or apricot-buff with a glorious iridescence like that of its parent Prairie Sunset but lighter in tone. One of the finest of its color. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Syivia Murray. 3½ ft. A new blue resulting from a cross of Great Lakes and Shining Waters, lighter in color than either of its parents and with the silvery smoothness of pale blue silk. Enormous in size. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

The Red Douglas. 3 ft. Rich rosy wine-red, solid to the haft. It is not the reddest Iris but rather a sterling, gorgeously rich, deep dark red. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Three Oaks. 3½ ft. Beautifully blended tones of rose-pink and copper. Lasts very well. Massive flowers on very tall stems. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Tiffany. 3 ft. Gaily painted yellow Plicata with rose or deep pink stitching on a yellow background.

Tobacco Road. 3 ft. A unique color—golden tobacco-brown, lighter than most brown Iris. \$1.50 each.

Vatican Purple. 3 ft. Deep but bright blue-purple, silky in finish and heavy in texture, without haft markings. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Violet Symphony. 3 ft. Gleaming lilac-mauve self. A splendid Iris para the tomanure self. A splendid Iris para the tomanure self.

Violet Symphony. 3 ft. Gleaming lilac-mauve self. A splendid Iris near the top of its class. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 3F-72

6 Iris (not illustrated). one each of Buffawn, China Maid, Berkeley Gold, Jake, Mulberry Rose and Wabash

VERY CHOICE

for only. . \$4.00



Wabash. 3 ft. Fresh-toned as any orchid is this Amoena with snowy white standards and ultra-marine falls with brighter margins.

Zantha. Very large, gorgeous golden yellow blooms, a bit softer in color in extreme heat. Unsurpassed for a blaze of color. Winner of the President's Cup in 1947. \$4.00 each.

A Bargain in Choice Mixed

IRIS

OF MANY VARIETIES

Assorted colors but not labeled or kept separate.







5 Popular Bearded Tris

AS ILLUSTRATED ABOVE

California Gold. One of the first big yellows. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25. Elmohr. 3 ft. One of the most exciting Iris. An exquisite shade of rich reddish mulberry, incredibly glossy and lustrous. \$1.00 each; 3 for

\$2.50. Flora Zenor. 40 in. A fascinating pink Iris. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. Great Lakes. 3 ft. Winner of the Dykes Medal in 1942, this is about the finest pure light blue. Rugged and hardy. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00. Gudrun. 2\(^1\)2 ft. A splendid white for foreground planting. 50c each;

Special Offer No. 3F-73: 5 plants, one of each, for Special Offer No. 3F-73A: 15 plants, 3 of each, for

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Handsome as Orchids

FALL BLOOMING IRIS

These are the varieties that bloom in spring and fall under favorable conditions. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.25

Autumn Queen. 1½ ft. Pure white. A sure bloomer in fall. Black Magic. 2 ft. Intense deep violet-blue. Free blooming. Sangreal. 2 ft. Beautiful yellow; large.

MINIATURE BEARDED IRIS

These dainty little Iris bloom in April and early May.

50c each; 3 of any one variety for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.25

Fairy. 6 in. Pale blue.

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Fairnee. 12 in. White.

Sambo. 10 in. Deep blue.

SIBERIAN IRIS (Iris Sibirica)

The Siberian Iris have much smaller flowers than Bearded and Oriental Iris but what they lack in size they make up in grace of flower and foliage. They are very hardy and grow well in almost any kind of soil, though a moist location is preferred. Well adapted for naturalizing along streams, among shrubs or in perennial plantings.

60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$4.85

Caesar's Brother. A stately plant not too tall—30 inches high. It is the best of the entire lot of dark blue Siberian Iris and was given Honorable Mention by the American Iris Society. The flowers are an unusually rich black pansy-violet with a beautiful depth of color. A superb plant for any garden. Perry's Blue. 2½ to 3 ft. Clear blue.

Snow Queen. 2 ft. Pure white; dwarf.

JAPANESE IRIS

The Oriental Iris, with their huge picturesque blooms and graceful gladiolus-like foliage, are among the most beautiful of the great Iris family. Then too, they come into bloom at a time when other Iris are past, starting the latter part of June and continuing well into July. They are extremely showy in the garden and excellent as cut flowers for the home.

Oriental Iris are easily grown in any good average garden soil which is fairly rich and has good drainage. Divide the plants every three or four years, early in the spring or in September and October. Their average height is 2 to 3 feet.

(D) Double varieties with 6-petaled flowers.

(S) Single varieties with 3-petaled flowers.

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75c each; 3 for 52.00; 6 for \$3.75; 12 for \$7.00, except where noted

Betty F. Holmes. (D) Huge white blooms. A most beautiful variety.

Blue Heron. (D) Beautiful deep sky-blue with white center.

Chameleon. (D) White marbled and flamed blue; light and dark flowers on the same plant.

Fascination. (D) Gray-blue. Free-blooming. A sturdy grower with 2½ to 3-foot stems.

Flamingo. (D) Deep rose, white in center. Rather tall.

Light in the Opal. (D) Very light pink flushed and mottled darker bluish in center. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

\$3.50.

Red Emperor. (D) Very large, deep red. Early.

Rosa Anna. (D) Light mauve heavily veined purple.

True Blue. (D) Very large flower of self true blue color.

Waving Waters. (D) Very light blue marked and flushed white. Heavy ruffled petals.

DUTCH IRIS (Bulbous Iris)

JAPANESE IRIS







RUSSELL HYBRID LUPINS

Gorgeous Russell Hybrid Lupins

Plant Lupins this fall to brighten your garden during May to July next year. They grow 3½ feet high with flower spikes 2 feet long representing practically every color in the rainbow. They like a partially shaded location of rich lime-free soil. Particularly recommended for cooler sections of the country. Strong plants, sure to bloom. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$4.85; 25 for \$8.75; 60c each.

The Christmas Rose (Helleborus)

Niger. This hardy perennial attracts great interest wherever it is grown, because of its lovely single white flowers and its unique blooming season—December to March. The flowers are flushed with pink and are borne on sturdy stems. A partly shaded location is necessary, and the soil should be enriched with equal parts of manure, leaf mold, sand and good loam. Watering is essential during dry periods in the summer. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25; 12 for \$12.00.

12 for \$12,00.

Orientalis atropurpurea. A new red Lenten Rose producing crimson-purple flowers from February to April. Numerous blooms on 12 to 15-inch stems. An easy and strong-growing variety. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00; 6 for \$5.00.

Astilbe

Astilbes are ideal perennials for shaded locations, but they also do well in the sun. They prefer rather rich, moisture-retaining soil; watering is essential during dry weather. Plants bloom freely in June and July and the foliage remains attractive for the rest of the summer. Height about 2 feet.

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America. Lilac-rose.

Fanal. Glowing dark garnet-red.

Gladstone. White.

Gloria superba. Deep rose-pink.

Peachblossom. Peachblossom-pink.

Rhineland. Bright crimson.

Simplicifolia rosea. A dwarf species with pink flowers. 12 to 15 in. high.

75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75; 12 for \$7.00





BLEEDING-HEART

Old-Fashioned Bleeding-Heart (Dicentra spectabilis)

A plant of grandmother's day, still indispensable. No garden should be without it. 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.00; 75c each.

PAINTED DAISY COLLECTION

Crimson Giant Rose Mist Eileen May Robinson

OFFER NO. 3F-75: 3 plants \$9.00 1 each of the 3 varieties,

OFFER NO. 3F-75A: 9 plants \$5.00 3 of each,



CHRISTMAS ROSE



PYRETHRUM, ROSE MIST

Pyrethrum, Rose Mist (Painted Daisy)

Rose-carmine petals with double-crested rose center which appears to have been dipped in stardust, giving it a silvery appearance. Sturdy grower and prolific bloomer. The 2-foot, stiff stems make it excellent as a cut flower. We are fortunate to have a few of these plants to offer this fall. However, the supply is limited and we can take care of early orders only, so send yours as soon as possible. 3 for \$2.25; 6 for \$4.00; 85c each.

Two New Giant Painted Daisies

Huge single blooms often 3 to 4 inches across on sturdy, 2 to 2½-foot stems. Wonderful for cutting, Most pleasing and brilliant colors.

Crimson Giant. Scarlet-crimson with golden center. Eileen May Robinson. Lustrous pink.

85c each; any 3 for \$2.25; 6 for \$3.50

Steele's Mastodon Jumbo Pansy Plants

For fall planting. Giant-sized blooms in many shades.

50 plants for \$3.00 500 plants for \$16.50 1000 plants for 30.50 100 plants for 5.50 250 plants for 10.50

Separate colors are also available at the same price, but not less than 25 of any one color.

Young Pansy plants should be set out in the fall in order to become well established for earliest spring bloom. After the ground is frozen protect them with pine branches, excelsior or other coarse material which will not become too packed or close-knit. Avoid materials that might rot. Mix a liberal amount of manure with your soil when planting





SENSATIONAL NEW DOUBLE POPPY SALMON GLOW

NEWER POPPIES

BIG JIM. A giant deep red. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

CHEERIO. Blush-pink with light red base spots. Medium to large flowers on stems of medium height. Very lovely and outstanding. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

G. I. JOE. Watermelon-red. A fine clear brilliant color. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

MARCUS PERRY. A new super-giant Poppy with blooms 8 to 10 inches across. Very strong grower; sturdy stems only 18 inches high. The color is most appealing—brilliant orange-scarlet with black spots. Strong field plants that are sure to bloom next spring. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

RASPBERRY QUEEN. Unusual color—crushed black raspberry. Plant in a shady location, for the color will fade in bright sunshine. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

STANDARD VARIETIES

Barr's White. Finest white to date.

Crimson Pompon. Fully double, blood-red flowers. Beautiful and distinct.

Curtis Giant Flame. Flame-red, extra-large blooms on very tall, heavy stems. One of the largest Poppies.

Curtis Giant Salmon-Pink. Large blooms; medium height.

Curtis Giant Watermelon. Distinct deep watermelon-pink. Enchantress. Beautiful lilac-rose. The best in this color. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Glowing Embers. Deeply crinkled blooms of medium red.

Helen Elizabeth. Crinkle-petaled; salmon-pink with no base

Henri Cayeux, Improved. Old-rose shaded to burgundy. Very distinct. Often referred to as the Purple Poppy.

Joyce. Charming soft red flowers in great abundance on 48-inch stems. Sturdy growth.

May Sadler. Deep salmon-pink.

Salmon Glow. Salmon-orange. First blooms very double; later ones only slightly double.

Snowflame. Pat. 365. A curious bicolor. The lower half of the flower is pure white and the upper half flame-orange. New and different. 90c each; 3 for \$2.25.

Tangerine. Pure bright orange.

All Standard Varieties, 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.50; 12 for \$6.50; 25 for \$11.50, unless otherwise noted.

Mixed Poppies. 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50 Not less than 6 sold at these low prices.

Oriental Poppies

TO PLANT THIS FALL

Oriental Poppies, with their brilliant gigantic blooms, are among the very finest perennials for the garden, particularly now that soft pastel tints are available, ranging from the softest of pink to deep red and white. They are easily grown and once established will live for many years. The best time to plant them is September and October. Poppies should be planted deeper than the general run of perennials. Set the crowns approximately 2 inches below the level of the ground. Mulch the first winter after planting with excelsior, pine branches, or other material of similar nature. This mulch should not be applied until the ground is frozen, possibly November till December, depending on the locality. The plants offered here are strong, field-grown specimens and should bloom satisfactorily next year. Order now.



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